CLASSIFIED ADS

Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this means of thanking our friends and relatives for their kindness and remembrance during our recent bereavement in the loss of our husband and father. Also for the flowers, cards and all other deeds of kindness.
—Mrs. Rachel McFadden
(1tp) and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all of my friends who were so kind to me during my recent illness, during my stay in the hospital and since my return home. Also for the cards, flowers and gifts.
Mrs. Rachel McCormick.
(1tc)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friends and neighbors for their kindness shown me during my recent illness. Also for the cards, food, flowers and gifts.
Mrs. J. B. Whitehead.
(1tc)

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to everyone for their kindness shown us during our bereavement in the death of our mother, Mrs. Julia Carey. Also for the flowers, foods, gifts and cards.
—The Children.
(1tp)

In Memoriam

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Charles E. Seay, who died Nov. 23, 1939.
November brings sad memories,
Of a loved one gone to rest;
But you will never be forgotten,
By the ones who loved you best.
—Sadly missed by
Wife and Children.
(1tp)

Lost and Found

FOUND: A ladies wrist watch in Inge's Store last Saturday. Owner can get same by identfying it and paying for this adv. —Mrs. H. G. Johnson. (1tc)

For Sale

DOG OWNERS: Bargain sale on KASCO DOG RATION, 30¢ off on each 50 lb. bag. Buy Kasco at
APPOMATTOX FARMERS SUPPLY CO.
(11-18-tfc)

FOR SALE: Fine Shoats. See—
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For Sale

MAGAZINES make acceptable Christmas gifts. Write or phone me for reduced rates. Phone number 2085.
Mrs. W. B. Caldwell.
(1tp)

NEW QUILTS For Sale: 2 yards wide and 2½ yards long. Write or see—Mrs. R. A. Gowin. Call 4424 on Saturday and Sunday.
(11-11-3tc)

FOR SALE: See us for "Posted" signs. 25c per dozen! Also hunting permit cards, 1c each.
The Times-Virginian.

FOR SALE: Two bicycles, in good condition. See
Ronnie or Dan Coleman.
(11 24 tfc)

FOR SALE: One Coleman Oil Circulator, in first class condition. See or call: —Mr. or Mrs. Geo. Lewis Doss, Appomattox, Va. Phone 4261.
(1tp)

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200 bales of hay for sale. See Mrs. J. D. Harris, Route 3, Appomattox, Va.
(12-2-2tp)

For Sale: Fully equipped business place. For further information contact—
Mrs. Mozella J. Price,
Appomattox, Va.
(12-2-2tc-

FOR SALE: Good used washing machine. See—
Mrs. Ed Ramsey,
Hickory Grove. Phone 3272.
(1tc)

For Sale

FOR SALE: Boys 26" Bicycle. Good condition.
Call: 4291.
(1tc)

FOR SALE: Baled oats,
Miss Eltha Morris,
Hickory Grove. Phone 3272.
(1tc)

For Sale: Wood Saw. Model A Ford motor built on a four wheel chassis. Complete with governor belt and saw. Has trailer hitch. In A-1 condition. Will sell reasonable.
J. K. Hamilton,
Evergreen, Va.
(12-2-tp)

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for public sale at my home on road 656 about ½ mile north of Rt. 24 at Smith's Motel
Tuesday, December 14,
at 10:00 A. M.
1— 1953 Farmall C Tractor
1— Tractor cultivator
1— Two bottom disk plow
1— John Deer Disk Harrow
1— Tractor disk harrow
1— Allis Chandler combine
2—Range houses for pullets and poultry equipment
3—55 gallon steel drums.
Other articles too numerous to mention.
TERMS: CASH.
AUCTIONEER: J. H. O'BRIEN.
(Signed) Melvin C. Bentjen.
(12-2-2tc)

Wanted To Buy

WANTED: Used baby bed and mattress. See: Bobby Bryant, or call 3315. (1tp)

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(10-28-tfc)

Help Wanted—Female

WOMEN WANTED: Start now and earn your Christmas needs selling Avon Cosmetics in just a few open territories in this area. Car necessary. Our modern training methods will enable you to start earning immediately. Write Miss Beall, 830 Church St., Lynchburg, for personal interview.
(1tc)

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NOTICE: Rooms for rent by night or week.
Mrs. J. M. Rosser, Mgr.,
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Appomattox, Va.
(8-19-tfc)

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(5-21-tfc)

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TAXI NOTICE: I am now giving Full Time Taxi Service. Phone Appomattox 2823, for prompt taxi service at any time.
John C. Ayers,
Ayers Taxi, Appomattox, Va.
(10-21-tfc)

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For service, call 3433
Appomattox, Va.
(10-28-tfnc)

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Appomattox, Va.
Member F. D. I. C.

Situationn Wanted

WANT WORK immediately. Elderly lady wants a job as nurse or companion or care for elderly lady. Can furnish good references. Phone Appomattox 4365 after six.
Mrs. Ruth D. Greene,
Route No. 1, Fairfield, Va.
(1tp)

THE BUY OF A LIFETIME
THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW
IN THE CONSTRUCTION
OF A WATER WELL

1. Always insist on a standard form written contract. Never accept a verbal agreement.
2. What is to be the diameter of the well and what is the maximum depth for drilling, if water is not encountered?
3. What kind and weight of casing is to be used?
4. Is any sand to be tolerated in water from the finished well?
5. How is the well to be completed? How is it to be tested? Who is to test it?
6. Rate to be paid per foot for drilling. Is casing included in this price? Is completing and testing included in the price? What are the terms of payment?
7. Will the driller supply the owner with an accurate log of the well and test record?
8. Does the driller carry liability insurance?
9. In case of a dry hole, will any adjustment be made on drilling charges?
10. Does your well driller have a full-time pump department?

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(12-2-tfc)

Colored Do[ts]

The general public is in[vited to] attend a post Thanksgiving ... at the Carver-Price High S... Sunday beginning at 12 P... lasting until 7 P. M. The ... sponsored by the ladies of ... Baptist Church. The proce... go for the benefit of the c... 7:30 P. M. a choir festiv... held in the Gymtorium. T... val is sponsored by the Fi... Church Choir. The program ... made up of several local an... town church choirs. Choi... Charlotte, Campbell and ... ham will take a part.

Impressive services were ... the First Baptist Church ... day morning. The pastor, R... Jordan delivered a special ... The church choir rendered ... music. The offering was ...

The public is invited to ... at the Galilee Baptist Ch... Sunday morning. The Rev... Marshall will be the gue... ter. The church choir will ... special music. All members ... choir are asked to come o... Sunday morning in order ... plete plans for the choir f... the Carver-Price High Sc... Sunday evening.

Mr. Louis Calloway a... Ligon were married in the ... Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Mar... Saturday evening.

The following young co... dents were here for the ... Misses Lillie Mae Lewis, Sa... kins and Jacqueline Lawi... following young men were ... —Curtis Marshall and Dea... son.

Please don't forget to at... annual Men's program at ... Shiloh Baptist Church on ... ond Sunday in December a... Professor H. A. M. Johns ... liver the main address.

Leon Lawing, of Virgi... College, is improving afte... going special treatment ... Petersburg General Hospit... was rushed there after the ... State game.

Mrs. Bernice Lawing is ... this week in Petersburg at ... side of her husband.

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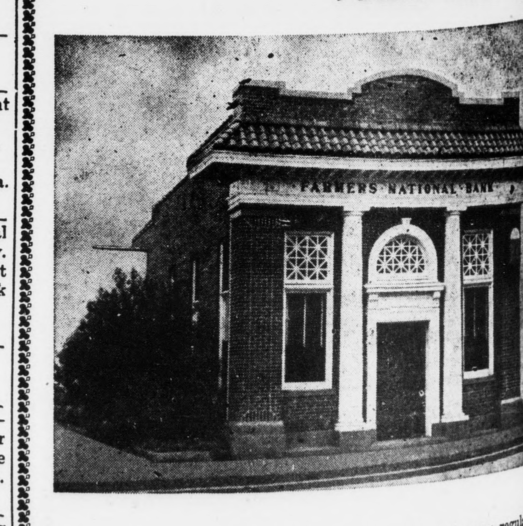

There's no better advice for any person than to save regular[ly]. That's the sure way of making your future free from wo[rry] . . . and of having the things you want from life. Whatev[er] your income, start the habit of saving a certain amount e[ach] pay day. Your savings will earn our regular rate of inter[est] and you'll be amazed at how fast your account will grow. S[top] in today and open your account.

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1400 Eligible To Vote On Quotas Tuesday

Approximately 1400 fire-cured tobacco growers in Appomattox County are eligible to vote in the marketing quota referendum to be held Tuesday, December 14, according to C. S. Rush, Chairman of the ASC County Committee. The referendum is being held to determine, in accordance with the law, whether the growers want quotas for three years, whether they want quotas for the 1955 crop only, or whether they do not want quotas. Marketing quotas will continue in effect if approved by two-thirds or more of the growers voting in the referendum.

Since marketing quotas were in effect on fire-cured tobacco for 1954, legislation requires that quotas be proclaimed for the 1955 crop, and that referenda be held to determine whether growers are in favor of or opposed to quotas.

According to Mr. Rush, "Anyone who has an interest in the 1954 crop of fire-cured tobacco, either as owner, tenant, or share-cropper, is entitled to one vote on the question of marketing quotas. Each person concerned, however, is entitled to only one vote even though he may be engaged in the production of tobacco on two or more farms."

Mr. Rush pointed out that acreage allotments will be contained in 1955 if marketing quotas are approved. Farmers will be notified of their 1955 allotments prior to the referendum.

Fire-cured tobacco from the 1954 crop is eligible for price support loans—but loans will be available on the 1955 crop only if quotas are approved by at least two-thirds of the growers voting in the referendum. The loan rate set by law for fire-cured tobacco is 75 per cent of the Burley loan rate.

The loan rate on Burley tobacco is 90 per cent of the parity price. The law specifically provides that no price support can be made available for any crop of tobacco for which growers disapprove quotas.

Voting places and hours are as follows:

Clover Hill District
Old Court House, from 8:00 A. M. until 12:30 P. M.
Hix Store at Hixburg from 12:30 P. M. until 5:00 P. M.
Stonewall District
Herndon's Store from 8:00 A. M. until 12:30 P. M.
Melvin Drinkard's Store at Oakville from 12:30 P. M. until 5:00 P. M.
Southside Distirct
The ASC County Office at Appomattox from 8:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M.

Father Darkleaf

By c. h. r.

[A go]od place to keep your money [and v]aluable papers, is in a bank. [It sh]ould be evident after the re[cent se]ries of robberies. A home ... safe is not much protection ... appear. I used to think it [would] be wonderful to have a safe [in the] office, but now I would not ... Appomattox needs a night ... [deposit]ory, so business places can ... funds taken in after the banking hours. And Pamplin ... branch bank! We understand ... at Pamplin are anxious to ... branch bank located there ... believe it would be profitable. ... understand that there is ... underway of arranging for ... depository here.

[Docto]r C. F. James tells me that ... pecan crop around the section ... Alabama where he and Mrs. ... have a country estate, was a ... this year. Usually Dr. and ... James bring back lots of fine ... to sell here during the Christmas season. Local friends will be disappointed not be able to procure ... pecans the James' usually ... offer.

... leisurely 1,400 motor trip ... Texas, the town that impressed me most favorably was San ... We spent three delightful ... there. Other places impressing ... favorably were Amarillo ... Van Horn and Port Arthur. ... had a most enjoyable stay ... Rio. Maybe it was the Mexican food and nearness to Langtry, ... Del Rio isn't a very large ... some 15,000 population. It is ... county seat of Val Verde, one of ... larger counties of the Lone Star ... Summer temperatures average ... and winter temperatures ... 54. Del Rio is 965 feet above sea level. It is a port of entry ... Mexico, with an international ... crossing the Rio Grande to ... Acuna. Average family buying ... is $4,301, making the town ... business center. San Felipe ... give a water flow of 103,- ... gallons per day. The city ... 500,000 gallons daily. Gross ... natural income of Val Verde in ... was around $12 million. However, the thing that made me think ... Rio this week was a Mexican ... I ate there. I remember it being ... a soup cup, featuring lots ... into which had been mixed ... conceivable sort of hot relish ... garlic, catsup, etc,, and on ... which were three raw oysters. ... would warm you up on a day ... this!

... local movie has just featured ... showing of the great picture "Gone With the Wind." The ... Margaret Mitchell was from ..., and the world premiere of ... movie was held in Atlanta fift... years ago next Wednesday. ... Margaret Mitchell's father was ... M. Mitchell, a lawyer and ... authority on Southern history. ... was educated at Washington ... and later studied at Smith ..., but was called home due to ... mother's death in 1919, and did ... receive her bachelor's degree. ... 1922 to 1926 she was a feature writer for the Atlanta Journal. ... married John Marsh, of Atlanta, ... 1925. She began writing her ... novel in 1926. She had it ... finally finished by 1929, but continued revising it. The novel was ... published in June, 1936, and became ... Pulitzer Prize novel for that ... She was hit by a taxi August ... 1949, and died August 16, 1949. ... been to the spot in Atlanta ... she was crossing a street on ... way home when hit by the taxi. ... "With the Wind" ranks with ... "Birth of A Nation" as a great ... novel and movie. I saw the ... of "Birth of A Nation" over ... times. Why don't they bring ... one more time! And why not ... "Gone With the Wind?"

[WO]ODMAN NEWS

... Supreme Forest Woodman ... Grove 73 will havt its regular ... and Christmas party Tuesday, December 14, at 7:30, in the ... of Mrs. Ed Blackwell. Bring a ... that costs $1 for "your Polly-... Hostesses are Mrs. Helen Lew... and Mrs. Pearl Mitchell.

[LI]ONS CLUB TONIGHT

... regular meeting of the Appo... Lions Club will be held at ... tonight at Maud's Hot Shop.

Basketball Season Begins December 17

The Appomattox High School Blue Hornets will open their 1954-55 basketball season when they play Marshall District High School here in the new gymnasium on December 17, Coach Gordon Bragg announced today. There will be both boys' and girls' games, starting at 7:30.

On December 23, there will be boys' and girl's games, when the alumni return to play the varsity.

Boys making the varsity squad this year are: Teddy Mitchell, Jerry George, John Rothgeb, Robert Carter, Alton Smith, Maynard Beane, Jack Caldwell, Bobby Stanley, Robert Leffers, Lawrence Wingfield, Tommie O'Brien, Ronnie Lewis, and Bradley Babcock.

The girls that are trying out for the team are: Peggy Crowder, Ann Evans, Frankie Doss, Nancy Doss, Betty Goad, Edna Gregory, Marilyn Guill, Jane Holt, Shirley Kerr, Shawn Mabley, Betty Mitchell, Lucy Perdue, Hilda Woody and Peggy Wooten. Mrs. Louise Brown coaches the girls' team.

It is hoped that a large number of patrons and friends will come out and support basketball here during the coming season. This is a fast and exciting game to watch and with the new gymnasium there will be seating capacity for everyone to enjoy the game in comfort. More about the December 23 game with the alumni will be published next week.

The schedule:
Dec. 17: Marshall District High here
Dec. 20: Randolph-Henry, there
Dec. 22: Brookville, there *
Dec. 23: Alumni, here
Jan. 5: Marshall District, there
Jan. 7: Madison Heights, here *
Jan. 11: William Campbell, here *
Jan. 14: Madison Heights, here *
Jan. 18: Buckingham, here
Jan. 21: New London, here *
Jan. 25: Buckingham, there
Jan. 28: Brookville, here *
Feb. 1: Randolph-Henry, here
Feb. 4: Bedford, here *
Feb. 8: Pamplin, here
Feb. 11: Altavista, there *
Feb. 15: New London, there *
Feb. 18: Pamplin, here
Feb. 22: William Campbell, there *
Feb. 25: Altavista, here *
* denotes league games.

The games for Feb. 11, 15 and 25 will be for both junior varsity and varsity; the others for the boys and girls.

All home games will be played in the new gymnasium. Admission for adults, 60 cents; students 35 cents.

Legion Aux. Meets Monday

Unit 104 American Legion Auxiliary, will hold its December meeting at 8:00 P. M. on December 13, at the American Legion building. The program will be presented by Mrs. R. D. Robinson, Unit Rehabilitation Chairman. Hostesses for the meeting are: Mrs. R. A. Sears, Mrs. Patsy Harvey, Mrs. H. C. Pulliam, Mrs. Peggy Harvey. Each member is requested to bring new or used clothing, new or old toys and non-perishable food items to be contributed to the boxes for needy families.

FHA Handles New Program

The Secretary of Agriculture has assigned to the Farmers Home Administration (FHA) responsibility for determining the eligibility of applicants for assistance under the Deparement's Emergency Feed Program. Under this program assistance may be made available in designated areas to enable eligible farmers and stockmen to acquire the hay or other feed required for them to maintain their foundation herds of livestock during periods of emergency.

The basic objective of the Emergency Feed Program is to assist eligible established farmers and stockmen in providing necessary feed to maintain their foundation herds of livestock and enable them to continue their livestock operations.

Further information on this program may be secured from the FHA representatives.

Thieves Strike In Pamplin

Appomattox authorities have questioned four persons charged with statutory burglary of a Madison Heights store, on a theory that they might have been implicated in two recent safe robberies in this county. The four were arrested Tuesday night.

A daring robbery was committed at Pamplin last Thursday night, as thieves carted off a safe from the Tolley Store. The safe contained several thousand dollars in cash and checks, and valuable account books of the firm. Previously, Poe Hardware Co. here had been entered and several hundred dollars in cash and checks taken. A series of similar robberies has occurred in nearby communities recently.

MRS. MacKENZIE TO PRESENT MARIONETTE SHOW NEXT THURSDAY

Mrs. L. C. MacKenzie will present a Marionette Show, "The Night Before Christmas," at the loacl Presbyterian Church next Thursday, December 16. There will be four shows with one at 2:00 P. M., one at 3:00 P. M., one at 7:00 P. M. and one at 8:00 P. M. A silver offering will be taken The proceeds will go for the benefit of the church.

Observer Post Holds Practice Session Sunday

The Appomattox Ground Observer Post will hold a practice exericse in cooperation with the Roanoke Filter Center on Sunday, Dec. 12, at the observation post between hours of 12 noon and 5:00 P. M. The following schedule will be carried out:

Time	Person in charge
12 to 2 P. M.	John Ivey Holland
2 to 4 P. M.	Richard Hamilton
4 to 5 P. M.	Richard Leigh Burke

All members not assigned hours are requested to contact the members on duty and volunteer for service. Anyone interested in joining wil please contact Mr. R. A. Sears.

COURT IN SESSION

The Circuit Court of Appomattox County has been in session here this week. Two cases were tried Tuesday, resulting in convictions.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE AT EVERGREEN SCHOOL

Perfect attendance records at the Evergreen school for November:

First grade: Gene Witt Martin and Wilsie Sue Paulette.

Second grade: Carter Slagle, Emilia Bruce, Juanita Martin, Bonnie Fay Paulette, Glenda Lee Simmons and Barbara Kay Staples.

Third grade: Johnnie Farrar and Donald Hamilton.

Fourth grade: Wayne Paulette, Nancy Childress, Ellaree McIntosh.

Fifth grade: Richard Hamilton Fred Martin Jr., Brenda Clapp, and Patsy Williams.

Sixth grade: Bobby Henderson.
Seventh grade: Bobby Bailey.

Year Books Distributed

New 1955 Year Books for Appomattox County Home Demonstration Clubs came from the presses of The Times-Virginian this week, and are being distributed at meetings of the clubs. There are some 450 members of the clubs in this county. The 1955 Year Book is dedicated to Mrs. R. K. Martin, president of the County Home Demonstration Committee. The 24-page Year Book contains valuable information on club meetings, procedures and items of interest to home-makers.

Supervisory Highway Employees Attend Management Class Here

Supervisory employees of the Appomattox Residency of the State Highway Department attended a meeting on 'Incentive Management' here last Friday. The meeting, presided over by H. W. Runkle, Resident Engineer, was held in the State Police Headquarters Building. There were thirty-two in attendance.

This was the second of a series of such meetings held in residencies to develop a program of incentive management.

Following a statement on the purpose of the meeting by Mr. Runkle the supervisory employees were addressed by John H. Phillips, District Engineer. He spoke on "ABC's of Incentive Management." He pointed to ways to develop interest and pride in work, and building a record for doing outstanding work. The supervisory employee can show leadership in promoting better performance by all employees, and he related many instances to show how this could be accomplished.

L. R. Treat, Resident Engineer of Chatham, spoke on "Incentive Management at the Working Man's Level."

"The effect that the Incentive Management Program will have on Testing and Materials" was discussed by R. V. Fielding, the District Materials Engineer.

W. M. Brown, Assistant Resident Engineer, addressed the group on "Specific Application of the Incentive Program to the Appomattox Residency."

S. E. Ranson, Engineer-Clerk at the local Residency, discussed the topic, "Financial ABC's of Incentive Management.

"Incentive Management in the Care of Equipment" was discussed by C. F. Daniel, District Equipment Superintendent.

Following these addresses, the group engaged in a thirty minute discussion period. The meeting convened at 9:00 A. M., and concluded at noon.

Falling River Watershed Project Gets Green Light

Mr. H. P. Mays, chairman of the board of supervisors of the Robert E. Lee Soil Conservation District, announced yesterday at the regular board meeting that he had received official approval for the demonstration program for the East Fork Falling River Watershed, from Mr. D. A. Wiliams, Administator of the Soil Conservation Service.

The project is designed as a demonstration of complete watershed protection, including flood control structures, stream channel improvement and the treatment of land in the watershed for erosion control.

Approval of the project means that the Federal Government will participate with the state and local agencies and with landowners in the watershed to accomplish this aim.

In addition to the conservation work farmers are already doing or planning to do, the program calls for the construction of three flood-water retarding structures, 16 miles of stream channel improvement, approximately 462 acres of reforestation, stabilization of about 100 acres of galled and gullied land and 41 miles of road bank stabilization.

The structural phases of the program are scheduled for completion by 1958.

To Dedicate A. H. S. Gym After Full Equipment Arrives

The new gymnasium and physical education room at the Appomattox High School will be formally dedicated as soon after the first of the year as all of the equipment for the addition to the school plant is available. This decision was reached at the first meeting of the Dedication Committee, held last Thursday night at the school library.

Members of local civic clubs and representatives from the school athletic association compose the committee. Division Superintendent J. A. Burke was named chairman of the group, and Mrs. W. M. Morris secretary. Others members attending the meeting were: Mrs. Louise Brown Coach Gordon Bragg, Prinicpal H. E. Kerr, C. T. Moses, Jr.; Dr. D. A. Christian, III; Calvin Robinson T. DeWitt Evans, Ivey Holland, C. V. Mitchell.

First use of the gymnasium was made this week. A basketball game is scheduled for Dec. 17. However several important items of equipment will not be on hand until perhaps in January, making it advisable to postpone formal dedication until the building is complete. Also, time will be required to arrange a suitable program. It is planned to build the program around actual demonstrations of how the gymnasium will advance physical education in Appomattox.

GARDEN CLUB MEMBERS JUDGE FLOWER SHOW

Mrs. S. S. Shouse, Mrs. F. F. Carr and Mrs. C. T. Moses, Jr. were invited to judge the first annual flower show, 'Prelude to Christmas" of the James - Rivanna Garden Club at St. Johns Parish House, Columbia, Va. on Saturday, Dec. 4. They were entertained at a luncheon prior to the judging, given at Fork Union, at which Mrs. W. T. Snead was hostess. Mrs. Shouse is an accredited judge of the Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs, and also a National Accredited Judge. Mrs. Carr and Mrs. Moses are both Student Judges.

Demonstration Club Schedule

Home Demonstation Agent's schedule for week of December 13:

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 13 and 14: 4-H Club meetings.

Tuesday, Dec. 14.- Appomattox Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:00 P. M. with Mrs. R. W. Stanley. Mrs. Stanley and Mrs. D E. Caldwell, Jr. will give the demonstration. Note change in date.

Tuesday, Dec. 14.- The Clover Hill Home Demonstration Club will meet at 7:30 P. M. with Mrs. L. N. Herncall. Mrs. Frances Conner and Mrs. Jacob Lewis will give the demonstration.

Friday, Dec. 17.- Oakville Home Demonstration Club will hold its annual Christmas Party at 7:30 P M. at Oakville School.

Monday, Dec. 20.- The Pamplin Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:00 P. M. with Mrs. J. A. Williams. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Lucado will give the demonstration.

Only 13 shopping days are left before Christmas!

DR. CA. A. COLLINS, JR. TO BE U. D. C. SPEAKER

Dr. Carl A. Collins, Jr. will be the guest speaker at a meeting of the Appomattox Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy next Thursday evening, December 16. The meeting will be held at 8:00 o'clock in the high school library. Mrs. K. E. Coleman, chapter historian, will present Dr. Collins. Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. C. F. James and Mrs. J. W. Flood.

Bloodmobile To Be Here December 13

"Give until it helps" is a slogan being used in recruiting blood donors for the visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile to Appomattox next Monday December 13. J. N. Jennings is Recruitment chairman, and is urging that Appomattox County make another fine showing in the number of volunteers to donate a pint of blood to the Red Cross Blood Program.

The Bloodmobile will be at the Liberty Baptist Church, from 11:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. The basement at the church is being used for this visit. A committee from the Womans Club of Appomattox will operate the canteen.

H. A. Gurney, Blood Program Chairman, declares that the Christmas Season is an ideal time for the public to respond to help their neighbors, by giving a pint of blood. He urges any and all to come to the church Monday, whether or not they have already signed a donor pledge card. Past experience here has been that a sizeable number of volunteers show up who had not sent in their pledge cards, and this has often aided the Red Cross Chapter in making an acceptable showing.

OAKVILLE P.-T. A.

The regular meeting of the Oakville P.-T. A. will be held at the school on December 16, at 7:30 P. M. Rev. Floy W. Cox will be the speaker and will use as his subject "Looking at the World Through the Eyes of a Child." All patrons and others interested are urged to attend.